Unit 1:

Greetings and Introductions

Level 2 ESL

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Please bring the following to every class:

- Your binder and all unit packages
- Pencil or pen
- Paper or a spiral-ringed notebook

Please try to be on time for class. If you do arrive late, quietly enter the classroom and find a seat.



Please turn off cell phones.



No drinking, eating or smoking is allowed in the classroom.

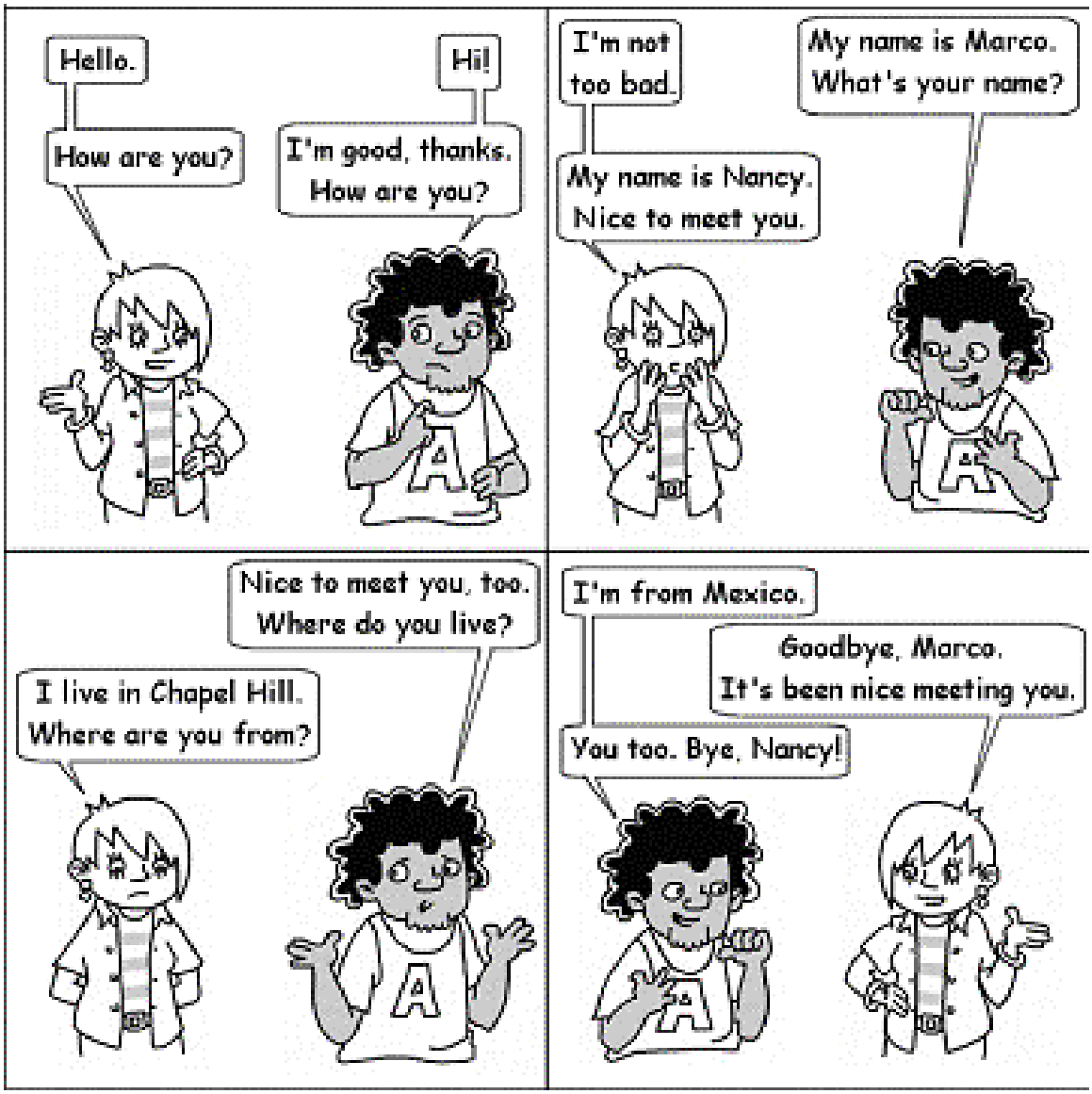
Children, other family members, and friends are not allowed in the classroom.

Respect others and their customs and cultures.

Do not be afraid to participate or make mistakes! Our classroom is a friendly place. Practicing and making errors are part of learning.

Greetings and Introductions

Read. Read the conversation between Nancy and Marco.



Greetings

Good morning
Good afternoon
Good evening
Hello
Hi
Hey
Yo!

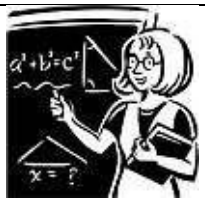
How are you?

How are you? How have you been? How are you doing? How's it going?	Fantastic! Very well, thank you. And you? Great, thanks. Good. Fine, thanks. Pretty good. Not bad. OK.
What's up? What's happening? What's going on? What have you been up to?	Not much. Nothing much. Not a lot.

Farewells

It was a pleasure seeing/meeting you.
It was nice seeing/meeting you.
Goodbye/Bye/Bye-bye.
Good night.
Take care.
Have a nice day/evening.
Have a good one.
See you (later/soon).
Later.
So long.

Vocabulary

 **student**	 **teacher**	 **child**	 **children**
 **school**	 **work**	 **house/home**	 **apartment**
 **single**	 **married**	 **divorced**	 **widowed**

Cardinal Numbers

1	one	21	twenty-one
2	two	22	twenty-two
3	three	23	twenty-three
4	four	30	thirty
5	five	40	forty
6	six	50	fifty
7	seven	60	sixty
8	eight	70	seventy
9	nine	80	eighty
10	ten	90	ninety
11	eleven	100	one hundred
12	twelve	101	one hundred one
13	thirteen	102	one hundred two
14	fourteen	103	one hundred three
15	fifteen	200	two hundred
16	sixteen	1000	one thousand
17	seventeen	½	one-half
18	eighteen	¼	one-fourth
19	nineteen	¾	three-fourths
20	twenty		

Ordinal Numbers

1st	first
2nd	second
3rd	third
4th	fourth
5th	fifth
6th	sixth
7th	seventh
8th	eighth
9th	ninth
10th	tenth
11th	eleventh
12th	twelfth
13th	thirteenth
14th	fourteenth
15th	fifteenth
16th	sixteenth
17th	seventeenth
18th	eighteenth
19th	nineteenth
20th	twentieth

Days of the week

Sunday
Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday
Thursday
Friday
Saturday

Months of the year

January
February
March
April
May
June
July
August
September
October
November
December

Questions

What is your name? What's your name? Pardon (me)? Sorry? What? Come again?	My name is John. My name's John. My name’s John!
Where do you live?	I live on Elm Street. I live at 123 Elm Street. I live in Chapel Hill, North Carolina. I live in the United States.
What is your zip code?	My zip code is 27514.
What is your telephone number?	My telephone number is 555-1234.
Do you live in a house?	Yes, I live in a house. No, I live in an apartment.
Where are you from?	I am from England. I'm from England.
Are you married?	Yes, I am married. No, I am single. No, I am divorced. No, I am widowed.
Do you have any children?	Yes, I have_____children. No, I don't have any children.

Prepositions of Place

in	*A person lives:* In a country and in a city.	Rebecca lives in the *United States*. She lives in *New York City*.
on	On a street, avenue, road, etc.	She lives on *Pine Street*.
at	At a street address.	She lives at *1089 Pine Street*.

Directions: Complete the sentences with prepositions of place.



Write about Oscar.

1) Oscar lives_____Canada.
2) He lives_____Toronto.
3) He lives_____Main Street.
4) He lives_____1423 Main Street.

Oscar
1423 Main Street
Toronto, Canada

Write about Dr. Roberts

5) Dr. Roberts lives on_____.
6) He lives in_____.
7) He lives at_____.



Dr. M. K. Roberts
118 State Street
Miami, Florida

Write about yourself.

8) I live_____.
(name of country)
9) I live_____.
(name of city)
10) I live_____.
(name of street)
11) I live_____.
(street address)



Directions: Now make your own sentences using prepositions of place.

1) _____

2) _____

Complete. Fill out the form with information about yourself.

Name: _____

Residence: ☐ House ☐ Apartment ☐ Other

City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone Number: _____

Country of origin: _____

Marital status: ☐ Single ☐ Married

☐ Divorced ☐ Widowed

Number of children: _____

Complete. Fill out the form with information about a classmate.

Name: _____

Residence: ☐ House ☐ Apartment ☐ Other

City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone Number: _____

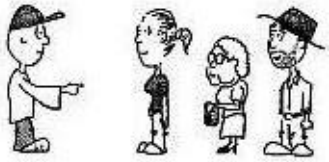
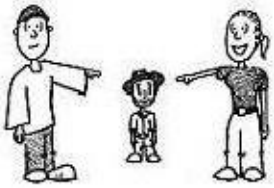
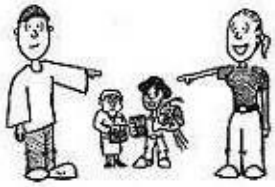
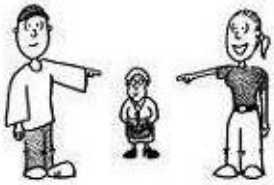
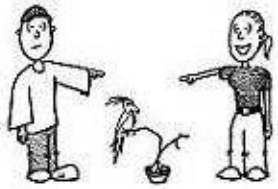
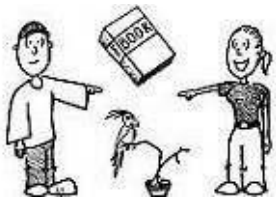
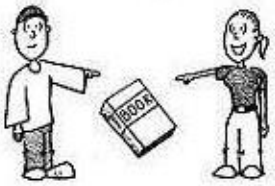
Country of origin: _____

Marital status: ☐ Single ☐ Married

☐ Divorced ☐ Widowed

Number of children: _____

Subject pronouns

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Write. Substitute the subjects with pronouns.

John is at school.	→	**He** is at school.
Mary is at work.	→	**She** is at work
Adam and Anna are at home.	→	**They** are at home.
This school is big.		**It** is big.

1. _____ is from England. *(John)*
2. _____ is in Carrboro. *(Mary)*
3. _____ are married. *(Adam and Anna)*
4. _____ is at home. *(Bill)*
5. _____ is at school. *(Donna)*
6. _____ are at work. *(The teachers)*
7. _____ is small. *(This apartment)*
8. _____ are at school. *(The students)*
9. _____ is in the classroom. *(The teacher)*
10. _____ is on the desk. *(The book)*
11. _____ are on the table. *(The books)*
12. _____ are from India. *(The workers)*
13. _____ is open. *(The door)*
14. _____ is at home. *(The child)*

"to be" conjugation

Affirmatives

I	**am**	
We You They	**are**	at home.
He She It	**is**	

Negatives

I	**am not**	
We You They	**are not**	at home.
He She It	**is not**	

Questions

Am	I	
Are	we you they	at home?
Is	he she it	

Write. Complete the following sentences with *am, are,* or *is.*

1. Mark_____from the United States.
2. Rita_____in Chapel Hill.
3. Charlie and Sue_____married.
4. I_____at work.
5. She_____at home.
6. They_____at work.
7. This house_____small.
8. The teachers_____at school.
9. She_____in the classroom.
10. The pen_____on the desk.
11. The flowers_____on the table.
12. They_____from Honduras.
13. The door_____closed.
14. I_____at home.

Contractions

I am a student.	→	**I'm** a student.
He is in my class.		**He's** in my class.
She is from Mexico.	→	**She's** from Mexico.
It is a big country.		**It's** a big country.
You are at school.	→	**You're** at school.
They are from Vietnam.		**They're** from Vietnam.
We are students.	→	**We're** students.
She **is not** here.		She **isn't** here.
They **are not** here.	→	They **aren't** here.

Write. Make contractions from the following pronouns and verbs.

1. _____at school. *(We are)*
2. _____in the classroom. *(You are)*
3. _____in Room 5. *(They are)*
4. _____married. *(I am)*
5. _____at work. *(He is)*
6. _____a student. *(She is)*
7. _____in the classroom. *(I am)*
8. _____here. *(He is)*
9. _____from Mexico. *(She is)*
10. _____the capital of Texas. *(It is)*
11. _____here today. *(She is)*
12. _____at home. *(He is)*
13. _____married. *(They are)*
14. _____from China. *(They are)*

Write. Make questions from the following statements.

John is at school.	→	**Is John** at school?
She is at work.	→	**Is she** at work?
They are at home.	→	**Are they** at home?
The school is big.	→	**Is the school** big?

1. John is from England. _____
2. Mary is in Carrboro. _____
3. Adam and Anna are married. _____
4. He is at home. _____
5. She is at school. _____
6. They are at work. _____
7. This apartment is small. _____
8. The students are at school. _____
9. He is in the classroom. _____
10. The book is on the desk. _____
11. They are on the table. _____
12. The students are from India. _____
13. The door is open. _____
14. The child is at home. _____

Questions	**Answers**		
Am I a student?	Yes, **you are**.	No, **you aren't**.	No, **you're not**.
Are you from Cuba?	Yes, **I am**.		No, **I'm not**.
Is he 16 years old?	Yes, **he is**.	No, **he isn't**.	No, **he's not**.
Is she at work?	Yes, **she is**.	No, **she isn't**.	No, **she's not**.
Are we at school?	Yes, **you are**.	No, **you aren't**.	No, **you're not**.
Are you students?	Yes, **we are**.	No, **we aren't**.	No, **we're not**.
Are they married?	Yes, **they are**.	No, **they aren't**.	No, **they're not**.

Write. Make negatives from the following statements.

He is at school.	→	**He is not** at school. **He isn't** at school. **He's not** at school.
She is at work.	→	**She is not** at work. **She isn't** at work. **She's not** at work.
They are at home.	→	**They are not** at home. **They aren't** at home. **They're not** at home.
It is big.	→	**It is not** big. **It isn't** big. **It's not** big.

1. We are at school. _____
2. You are in the classroom. _____
3. They are in Room 5. _____
4. I am married. _____
5. He isn’t at work. _____
6. She is a student. _____
7. I am in the classroom. _____
8. He is here. _____
9. She is from Mexico. _____
10. It is the capital of Texas. _____
11. She’s not here today. _____
12. He is at home. _____
13. They are married. _____
14. They are from China. _____

A Paragraph

A paragraph is a group of sentences.

1. Indent the first line of each new paragraph.
2. Begin each sentence with a capital letter.
3. End each sentence with a period.
4. Do not start each new sentence on a new line.

My name is Jose. I am from El Salvador. I speak Spanish. I live in Chapel Hill. I live in an apartment. I am married. I have two children.

Capital Letters

Capitalize the first word of a sentence or question.

- What is his name? His name is John.

Capitalize the pronoun *I.*

- My friend and I like to play tennis.

Capitalize the names and titles of people.

- He has an appointment with Dr. Carol Wolf.

Capitalize the names of cities, states, countries, continents, and streets.

- They live in Lima, Peru, in South America.
- The library is on Juniper Street.

Capitalize days of the week and months of the year.

- His birthday is on Thursday.
- January is a cold month in the United States.

Capitalize the names of languages and nationalities.

- He speaks Chinese.
- My grandparents are Mexican.

Punctuation

Put a period (.) at the end of every statement and command.

- Jenny is a student.
- Have a seat.

Put a question mark (?) at the end of every question.

- Is Jenny a student?

Put an exclamation mark (!) at the end of every exclamation.

- Look out!

Use an apostrophe (') with contractions or possessives.

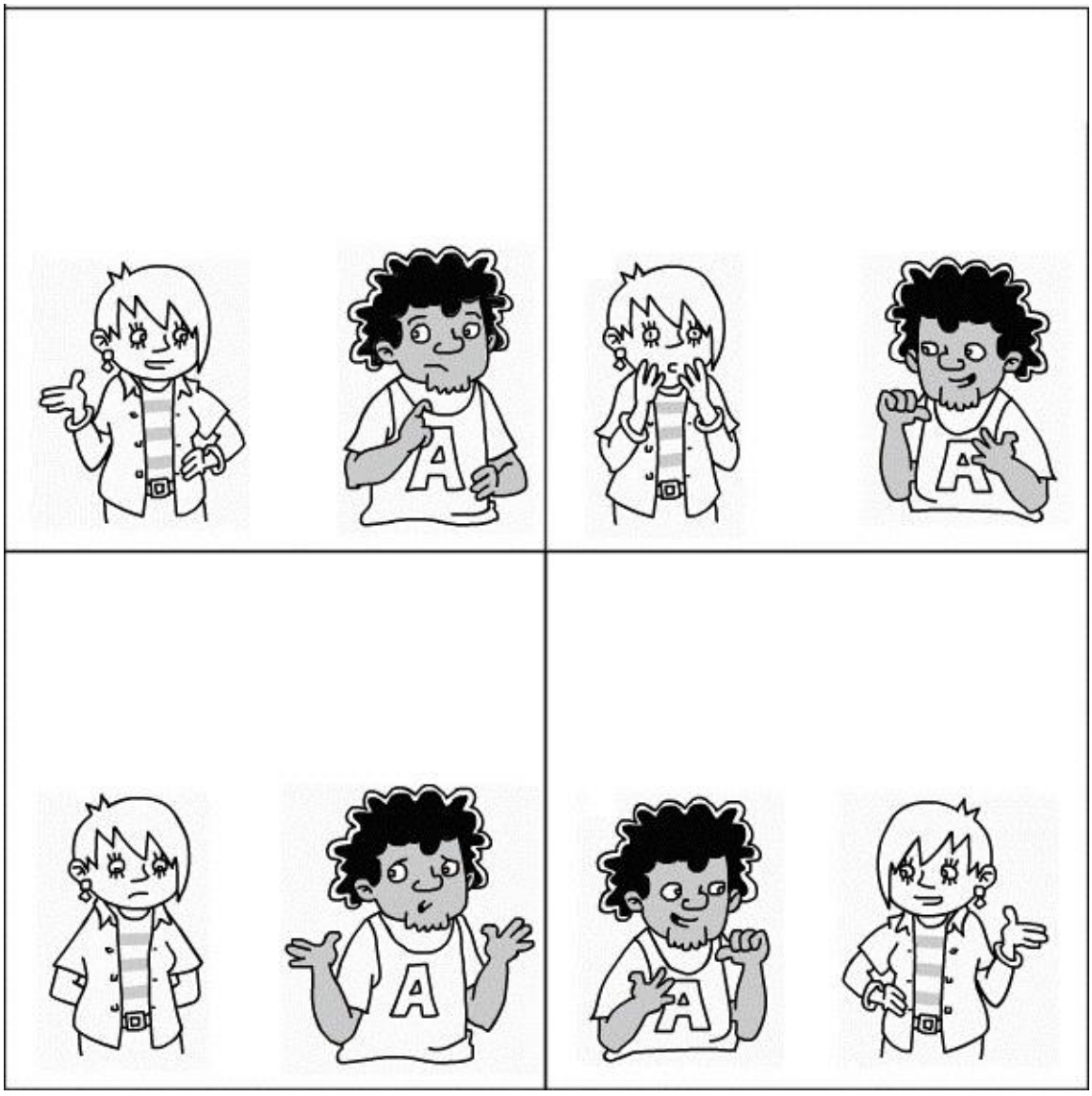
- he's
- they're
- isn't
- John's book

Edit. Rewrite the following paragraph with the correct form, punctuation, and capitalization.

her name is maria
she is from mexico
she lives in carrboro
she lives in a house
she is divorced
she has one child

Write. Using the information from the form on the bottom of page 7, write a paragraph about a classmate.

Write. Write a conversation between these two people who are meeting for the first time.



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a Complete the sentences with a pronoun (*I*, *you*, etc.) and *'m*, *'re*, or *'s*.



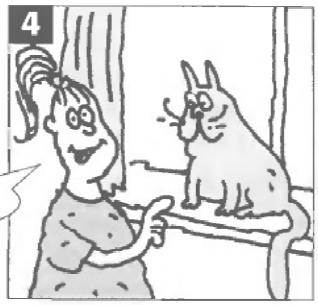
I'm Jack.



_____ in Class 2.



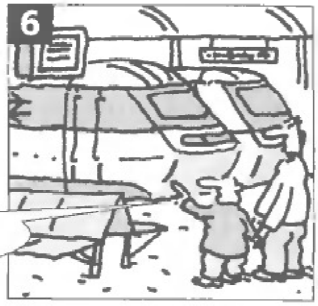
_____ my teacher.



_____ a cat.



_____ students.



_____ trains.



_____ Jane.



_____ in Room 231.



_____ at the airport.

b Rewrite sentences 2–9 with the full forms (not contractions).

1 *I am* Jack.
2 _____ in Class 2.
3 _____ my teacher.
4 _____ a cat.
5 _____ students.
6 _____ trains.
7 _____ Jane.
8 _____ in Room 231.
9 _____ at the airport.

c **Test your memory.** Cover the sentences in **a**. Look at the pictures and say the sentences. Use contractions.

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a Complete the conversation with *is*, *are*, or *am*. Use contractions where possible.



PETRA Hello.

JUAN Hi.

PETRA [1] *Is* this Class 2?

JUAN Yes. [2]_____ you here for the English class?

PETRA Yes I [3]_____. [4]_____ you in this class too?

JUAN Yes. We [5]_____ in the same class. My name [6]_____ Juan.

PETRA Hello. My name [7]_____ Petra.

JUAN Where [8]_____ you from, Petra?

PETRA I [9]_____ from the Czech Republic. And you?

JUAN I [10]_____ from Madrid in Spain.

PETRA [11]_____ you Spanish?

JUAN No, I [12]_____ not. I [13]_____ Mexican, but I live in Spain.

PETRA Who [14]_____ our teacher?

JUAN Her name [15]_____ Diane.

PETRA [16]_____ she English?

JUAN No, she isn't. She [17]_____ Canadian.

PETRA Where [18]_____ the other students?

JUAN They [19]_____ in the classroom! We [20]_____ late!

b Practise the conversation with a partner.